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TOPIC Soviet Troops in Kecskemet and in the Satoraljaújhely Area

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SOURCE

1. Soviet tank troops were observed in Kecskemet (Y 6/N 95) on 25 January 1950. The troops had been stationed there since the late Summer of 1949. Their equipment was worn. *

2. No Soviet troops were observed in the Satoraljaújhely (R 49/A 50) area in late January 1950.

25X1A Comment:

* The Soviet tank troops observed in the Kecskemet area in late January 1950 presumably belonged to those Soviet forces that were transferred from Rumania and the Soviet Union to the Hungarian-Yugoslav border area in the late Fall of 1949. It is believed that, during the winter, some of these forces were withdrawn from the border and distributed over a wider area.

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